GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
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Increase in Livestock Production
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has conducted any survey regarding estimated production of livestock in the rainy season;
(b) if so, the details thereof including the details of the States in each category;
(c) whether the estimated production has fallen short of the target by large margin; and
(d) if so, the details thereof and the action being taken by the Government to increase the livestock production in the country?

Answer

A N S W E R

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

(SHRI SUDARSHAN BHAGAT)

(a) & (b) Yes, the Union Government in participation with all States/UTs had conducted Integrated Sample Survey during Rainy season i.e. 1st July, 2016 to 31st October, 2016 to estimate the livestock production such as milk, egg, meat and wool. The State-wise provisional estimates under each of these category is placed as Annexure-I.

(c) & (d) No, as per the provisional estimates of Integrated Sample Survey for the year 2016-17, there is no significant fall in achieving the targeted production of milk, egg, meat and wool. However, to promote animal husbandry including increasing the livestock production the Central Government support the States through schemes namely National Dairy Plan, National Programme for Dairy Development, National Programme for Bovine Breeding, Rashtriya Gokul Mission, National Mission for Bovine Productivity, Dairy Entrepreneurship Development Scheme(DEDS), National Livestock Mission and Livestock Health and Disease Control Assistance.

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